[Mr. T. P. Ramasubba Aiyar.]

(v) Petition dated the 29th Dhanu 1104 from Arakal Thomman Ouseph complaining about Mr. N. S. Raman Pillai and Clerk, K. P. Narayana Pillai and stating that trees to the value of Rs. 10,000 have been removed from *poramboke* lands, etc.

(vi) Petition dated the 13th Makaram 1104 from Thomman Ouseph of Minachil complaining about the Tahsildar and Clerk, K. P. Narayana Pillai of Minachil taluk.

(vii) Petition dated the 6th Medom 1104 from Thomman Ouseph stating that the Tahsildar has taken a case against him for having cut trees from Government lands, etc.

(2) The member is referred to the answers to parts (1) (*b*) and (*d*).

Headmaster, English High School, Adur.

367. **MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI** (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the year, month and date in which the present (22-5-05) Headmaster of the Adur English High School was transferred to that place;

(*b*) whether there was any complaint against him from the public at Adur; and

(*c*) if so, the action taken upon it?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) 7th Edavam 1098.

(*b*) and (*c*) Two complaints were received by Government against the present Headmaster of the English High School, Adur. The first was in Minam 1101 when a representation stating that the Headmaster's management of the School was unsatisfactory and that his relations with the Assistant teachers were not amicable was received by Government. The Director of Public Instruction conducted an enquiry in the matter and on his report that the allegations were vague and indefinite, the representation was recorded. The second was in July 1929 when one R. Kochu Kunju Kurup of Adur complained that his boy who was a student in the school was suspended by the Headmaster for no valid reason, and that he, on approaching the Headmaster to explain the circumstances, was insolently treated. He prayed that his boy may be given transfer certificate to the Mavelikara English High School. This case was also enquired into by the Director who ordered the boy being given his transfer certificate and placed on record his disapproval of the attitude of the Headmaster to the petitioner, the boy's father.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): Was not the first complaint from the public of Adur?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes. A resolution passed at the public meeting was forwarded to Government.

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MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know from the member whether the complaint was from the guardians of the pupils about the behaviour of the Headmaster towards the boys of the school?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): That was not the subject of the first complaint.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know whether the general management of the school by the Headmaster was satisfactory?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): That was the subject of the first complaint.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know the nature of the discontent of the public?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): The resolution that was adopted at a public meeting, I can read for the member's information.

"That the Headmaster's management of the School was not satisfactory and that his relations with the assistant teachers were not amicable."

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know the percentage of passes from the Adur School this year and last year?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): That is a new question. I claim notice.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know the number of boys who took transfer certificates from this school to some other neighbouring school?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know from the member whether certificates of two boys were received from the Adoor High School by the Police officer, Mr. Kesavan?

PRESIDENT: They are all new questions.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): It is all on account of the mismanagement of the Headmaster that these troubles arose.

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*) That is a new question. I claim notice.

MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): May I know whether any steps were taken by the Government or by the Department after the complaint of one guardian was found true?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Ag. Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes. A report was called for and action taken.

Improvement of certain roads in Kalkulam and Vilavankod taluks.

368. **MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI** (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether they intend improving the Kaliyal-Pachippara trace and also the Azhanchola pakuti Kani roads in the Vilavankod taluk?

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